

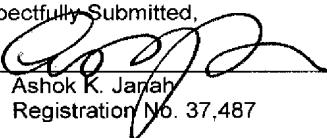
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Tarara et al.
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Commissioner for Patents US Patent and Trademark Office VIA Efs		Extension of Time		
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136		
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			Large Entity	Small Entity
			\$120.00	\$60.00
		\$450.00	\$225.00	
\$1020.00	\$510.00			
Total \$ 1020.00				
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made in case applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.				

Fees for Extra Claims						
	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Number Extra	Rate		Additional Fee
				Large Entity	Small Entity	
Total Claims	46	37	9	\$50.00	\$25.00	\$450.00
Independent Claims	2	5	0	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims				\$360.00	\$180.00	\$0.00
Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement						
						Total \$450.00

Fee Payment		Fee Deficiency
Extension Fees	\$1020.00	<input type="checkbox"/> If any additional extension and/or fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. <u>10-0258</u> . and/or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If any additional fee for claims is required, please charge Deposit Account No. <u>10-0258</u> .
Fees for Extra Claims	\$450.00	
RCE Fee	\$0.00	
Total	\$1470.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Attached is check no. _____ in the sum of \$0.00. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. <u>10-0258</u> in the sum of \$1470.00		Please direct telephone calls to: Ashok K. Janah at (415) 538-1555 Please continue to send correspondence to: Mr. Guy Tucker Nektar Therapeutics 150 Industrial Road San Carlos, CA 94070
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